The Central Hindi Directorate (CHD), Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology (CSTT) and Kendriya Hindi Sansthan (KHS), Agra are institutions under the Department of Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development (HRD). Briefly their work is as under:—

(i) The CHD engages in propagating Hindi in Non-Hindi Speaking areas, publishes foreign and regional language dictionaries with Hindi, Hindi language learning books and conducts correspondence courses to teach Hindi etc.

(ii) The CSTT engages in developing and updating dictionaries on technical subjects of various disciplines, in Hindi an other Indian languages.

(iii) The KHS provides facilities for higher studies in Hindi language and literature to Hindi Teachers of non-Hindi speaking States as well as foreigners etc.

(b) The objectives of the four institutions are different. However, the Expenditure Reform Commission (ERC) in its report has suggested merger of the CHD, CSTT and KHS.

(c) The Ministry of HRD have examined the recommendation of the ERC and a view has been taken that the specific objectives of the three instjtutions being different, merger of these institutions will blur the focus of their activities, even though collectively they contribute of the promotion of Hindi. However, the Ministry of HRD have constituted a Department Committee headed by the Additional Secretary of the Ministry, to consider this matter.

(d) The working of the above three institutions is regularly monitored at various levels in the Ministry of HRD to further improve functioning.

Non-Registration of complaints by police in Delhi

†1601. SHRI MOTILAL VORA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that incidents of non-registration of complaints of victims by police in Delhi take place frequently;

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(b) if so, the action Government take on such incidents;

(c) whether it is a fact that the police had not registered a report regarding beating of an attendent of a child by the security personnel in Safdarjung Hospital as reported in media;

(d) if so, the action taken by Government against the culprits; and

(e) the steps taken by Government to prevent such incidents in future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI HARIN PATHAK): (a) and (b) There have been occasional cases when complaints made to the police were not registered. However, as and when any such instance comes to the notice, the matter is looked into and corrective action including action against the erring police personnel s taken.

(c) and (d) No, Sir. On receipt of a complaint from the ward of a child patient admitted in Safdarjung Hospital, a case was duly registered and three of. the four accused security guards were arrested while the fourth accused is absconding.

(e) The steps taken to prevent the instances of non-registration of sases include regular briefing of the police personnel; punitive action against the police personnel found to be guilty of negligence or laxity; installation Df a Post Box No. 171 to receive complaint against police personnel and monitoring of disposal of such complaints by the Joint Commissioner of Police (Vigilance).

Eve-teasing on local trains

1602. SHRI NANA DESHMUKH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether eve-teasing on local trains coming from NCR regions into Delhi where a large number of working women travel everyday to the city especially in the ladies compartments is on increase and has become a nuisance for the working ladies;

(b) if so, whether a drive to nab the wrong-doers was recently conducted;

(c) if so, what has been the outcome; and